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**RE: REQUEST FOR TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW**  
Application no.: 10/674,589

Dear Examiner Gellner,

Please find attached, an Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form (PTOL-413A). We are flexible in our proposed date of interview, if you would prefer a different date. Please confirm a date at your earliest convenience. Our telephone number is 408-286-8933. We plan to submit a proposed amendment for discussion for the interview.

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Sincerely,



Juneko Jackson (Reg. No. 48,870)  
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### Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/674,589 First Named Applicant: Chen Chin J. Huang  
 Examiner: Jeffrey L. Gellner Art Unit: 3643 Status of Application: final action received

**Tentative Participants:**

(1) Juneko Jackson (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: March 30 or 31, 2005 Proposed Time: 2:00 PM (AM/PM)

**Type of Interview Requested:**

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

### Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>102(b)</u>	<u>1, 4, 5, 7, 9, 11, 21</u>	<u>Otake</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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**Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:**

Discussion of proposed amendment to claims 1 and 24 of limitation that "the main structure" "encloses around a growing or grown plant without lifting a base of the plant or the plant from its base". This limitation overcomes the references as it is not disclosed in references. Discussion of new claims 25 and 26 added. Specification provides support (See p. 8, Fig. 4)

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_.

**NOTE:** This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

  
 Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

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 Examiner/SPE Signature

Juneko Jackson

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

48,870

Registration Number, if applicable

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